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Combination House Dress and Apron  
Saturday, price, \$1.00



Every woman in this city has been waiting for just such a dress. As usual we are the first to supply their wants.

These dresses are made of fine percale in black and navy blue, dotted and check patterns of several kinds.

They make a perfect house dress or they can be worn as a cover-all or over-dress. They are neat, shapely and perfect fitting and easily laundered.

The special features that appeal to you are:---the deep hem, neat button holes, extra width over hips, fine, even stitching and absolutely fast colors. You will find them the best dollar's worth of dress you ever purchased.

### THE HOMER FITTS COMPANY

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D'AFFITTARE--Un appartamento di 5 stanze con cucina a gas, luce elettrica, bagno, con annesso giardino. Stagno ammobiliare d'arredatura, con letti per una, e due persone, luce elettrica, e caldo. Rivolgersi a Charles Zanoni, 41 Granite street.

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### Yearlings

Fore-quarter Roasts, per lb. 1-2c  
Hind-quarter Roasts, lb. 1-5c

### Saturday Special

Prime Western Beef Rib Roasts, very best, lb. 1-6c

Pork Loins, per lb. 1-6c

Finest Native Veal, per lb. 1-4c to 1-5c

Pork Sausage, per lb. 1-5c

Hamburg Steak, 2 lbs. for 25c

We have a great demand for our Hamburg Steak and attribute the reason to the fact that we grind it by a Hobart electric motor, which grinds it finer than the old process and much faster, which saves us time and enables us to quote a lower price.

### Smoked Meats

HAMS--Sweet sugar-cured, tender and fine flavored, per lb. 1-6c

SHOULDERS--The fanciest little corn-fed pig shoulders, tender and sweet, per lb. 1-5c

BACON--Swift's Winchester Brand Bacon Strips, extra fine sugar-cured, nicely mixed, per lb. 1-20c

CHICKENS--Fancy stock, per lb. 1-24c

Fowls, per lb. 1-22c

Try our Dried Beef, shaved as thin as you wish it by the American slicing machine, per lb. 1-35c

Rhubarb, Lettuce, Parsley, Celery, Dandelions, Cucumbers, Radishes, Parsnips, Onions, Turnips, Cabbages and Potatoes.

Economical prices rule here this week, at the market

"Where Quality Counts."

### TASSIE BROTHERS

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#### ANTIMONY, ARSENIC AND BISMUTH

Little of Either Produced in the United States.

All the primary antimony used in the United States during the year 1909 was imported. No antimony whatever was produced in this country, although a considerable quantity was recovered from various wastes, such as old type and rabbit metal, and some antimonial lead was produced as a by-product at smelteries and refineries.

The imports of antimony were large, the total value of the metal and ore entered for consumption during the year being \$774,719. An advance chapter from "Mineral resources of the United States, calendar year 1909," prepared by Frank L. Hess, shows that 1,017 short tons of antimonial lead, valued at \$252,252; 743 short tons of antimony from foreign ore smelted in this country, valued at \$115,908; and 1,556 short tons of antimony recovered from old alloys, valued at \$242,736, were produced here in 1909.

The price of antimony varied little in 1909. The lowest figure quoted was 7.95 cents a pound and the highest 8.55 cents.

#### Arsenic Produced and Imported.

White arsenic, the oxide, is the only form in which arsenic is produced in the United States. Most of the arsenic imported, however, comes as the sulphide. It is brought from Canada, Europe, and Mexico in considerable quantities. The 1909 output in the United States was 1,214 short tons, valued at \$62,646. Imports of arsenic, apart from Paris green and London purple, amounted to 4,036 short tons, valued at \$303,728. Of those two products 183,765 pounds were imported, the value being set at \$20,370.

The price of Paris green fell off sharply after July 15, the cost per pound in bulk dropping from 21½ cents to 17 cents. A like falling off was shown in the price of Paris green in packages.

#### Cost of Bismuth High.

Only one firm reported a production of bismuth in the United States during 1909, but 183,416 pounds, valued at \$286,516, was imported during the year, most of it derived from Bolivian ores. The domestic output of bismuth was obtained as a by-product in the electrolytic refining of lead. The price ranged from \$1.70 to \$1.80 a pound. Mr. Hess, in the advance chapter dealing with bismuth, states that the price of the metal and its compounds is largely governed by foreign firms, and advances the opinion that its use would increase considerably if the price were reduced.

#### Little Demand for Selenium.

Selenium was produced as a by-product in copper refining by one company in the United States in 1909. It sold for \$3.43 a pound, but if large quantities of the element were needed it could be probably sold at a much lower price. Mr. Hess' report can be obtained by applying to the director of the survey at Washington.

#### PLAINFIELD.

On account of the illness of the pastor, there will be no preaching service in the Methodist church next Sunday. The Sabbath school and other services of the day and week will be as usual.

#### REMARKABLE RECORD.

Augustus Hunton of Bethel 95 Years Old Yesterday.

Bethel, Feb. 24.--Hon. Augustus Hunton reached his 95th birthday on Thursday, February 23, having been born in Groton, N. H. February 23, 1816. Mr. Hunton's youth was passed in Hyde Park, where his father, Dr. Arill Hunton, removed with his family in 1818. He studied law with Hon. William C. Wilson in Bakersfield and later with Hon. William Pingree at Watfield and was admitted to the bar in Washington county in 1837. With the exception of a short time when Mr. Hunton and the Hon. Percy Jones had a law office in Chelsea, he has been identified with this town. In his practice of law, Mr. Hunton has had many partners, the latest having been formed in 1870, when the firm of Hunton & Stickney was established. Mr. Hunton's acquirements were of an unusual order, and his accurate legal scholarship has also attracted many students to his office, conspicuous among whom were ex-Gov. Samuel E. Pingree, who, with Mrs. Pingree, was among the guests present to assist in the celebration of his birthday anniversary on Thursday. Mr. Hunton served eight terms as representative of the town of Bethel and three times as senator of Windsor county. He was speaker of the House of Representatives in 1860 and 1861 and his career, which extends over so long a period of time, has indeed been a very remarkable one. Mr. Hunton married Caroline, the daughter of Dr. Alfred Paige, and to them were born two children, Mary, who is now the wife of William B. C. Stickney, and a son, who died many years ago. Mr. Hunton has retained his mental faculties to a remarkable degree and up to the last year has been in good health and able to be out each day. With the coming of cold weather this season, he has confined himself to the house and has not been as active as in former years. His home of former years has been his up to this time, his daughter, Mrs. Stickney, and family having been with him to minister to his comfort and happiness, with the decline of his physical strength. Among the many who were present at his home to give a word of congratulation on Thursday were Dr. William Stickney, a grandson, from Rutland and Miss Mary Stickney, his granddaughter, ex-Gov. S. M. Pingree and wife and many others.

#### The Railroad Fight.

"The Central Vermont Railway Co. has succeeded temporarily in its effort to throttle competition in Vermont. It is to-day, as it ever has been, the political master of the state. We have heard little of its work these later years, simply because it has not been necessary for it to exert its power openly. It has been able to accomplish all desired by employing 'gun shot' tactics. The asking of the charter by the Vermont Valley railroad created a situation which made it necessary for it to come out into the open. Now the people can behold the monstrous form of its political power in the affairs of the state."

This, and much more in the same strain, from the Wilmington Times, an esteemed friend but in this case a natural neighborhood sympathizer, is the animating to anyone that understands the actual condition of the Central Vermont in this controversy. As a matter of fact, the Boston & Maine had the Central locked to a standstill in the first stages of the fight.

And largely for the very reason that the Grand Trunk policy had all these years kept the Central Vermont out of politics.

When The Messenger says politics, it does not mean to use the word in any such sense as the contemporary employs it, but simply as expressing the natural policy of any man or corporation to be interested in public affairs sufficiently well to be able to protect his own property against unjust laws. The fact that the Grand Trunk has deliberately, and with deeply considered policy, refrained from mixing in Vermont politics, is so obvious that only a partisan might be misled by his feelings to deny it. And, to go just a step farther, the fact that the Boston & Maine has appeared recently to pursue just a contrary policy is the main reason why the Grand Trunk had to scramble to get justice from the legislature when the clash came. The whole story of this railroad fight will come better by and by from disinterested sources, after the bitterness of defeat has passed away. A wide state New England policy, not a mere Brattleboro local benefit, was involved in the decision of the Senate. And New England owes the Vermont Senate a vote of thanks.--St. Albans Messenger.

#### THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1911.

#### Weather Prediction.

Unsettled this afternoon; generally fair to-night and Saturday. Colder to-night; brisk west winds.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Winter coats half price at Vaughan's. Black muslin waists, 50c, 98c up, at Vaughan's.

No "Dokey" minstrel rehearsal to-night. A. H. G.

Extra values in lace collars, 25c and 50c, at Vaughan's.

C. H. Howland of Cabot was in the city to-day on business.

F. O. Ralph of Brookfield visited his son, Neil Ralph, yesterday.

The new soft collars and stock ties from the Frank McWhorter Co.

State's Attorney J. Ward Carver went to Hardwick to-day on legal business.

C. C. McMahon of Stowe was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

George P. Gary of Hoboken, N. J., is spending several days in the city on business.

Special sale of Fuller-Greene chocolates, 60c grade for 39c, at Kendrick's Saturday.

The interest on the notes at the Barre Savings Bank and Trust company will be due March 1.

Franklin coal for the kitchen range at the D. M. Miles Coal Co., 122 North Main street. Telephone 133 or 202-1.

Mrs. Alex. Anderson and daughter, Caroline, have returned home, after passing a few days with relatives in Waterbury.

The second team of Goddard seminary will play their second game with the Stowe high school at Stowe to-morrow night.

Mrs. Effie I. Chapman will lecture and give tests in Montpelier Sunday, February 26, at the G. A. R. hall at 2:30 and 7 o'clock.

Oscar Borgh of North Main street is slowly recovering from an affection of the left eye, which has troubled him for several weeks.

The mission circle of the Universalist church will meet at the home of Mrs. S. D. Allen, Feb. 24, at 2:30 o'clock. Watchword, "Service."

John Spargo, the noted Socialist speaker, will give an address at the Howland hall Wednesday, March 1, at 7:30. Admission 10 cents, ladies free.

See the attractive window display of fancy cuts of lamb, such as crown roasts, Italian duck roasts and saddles of lamb, at Smith & Cummings.

Mrs. Beatrice Ackworth and daughter of North Adams, Mass., returned home last night, after passing a week with friends in this city and Montpelier.

Mrs. Ezekiel Drew of Tunbridge and her daughter, Mrs. Daniel E. Bisbee of Moretown, are visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Anker.

Rather than pack away this lot of 15 Maish bed puffs, you can have them on Saturday at less than cost: \$1.75 puffs for \$1.25; \$2.50 puffs for \$1.75; \$3.00 puffs for \$1.85; \$3.75 puffs for \$2.85; \$6.00 silk-covered puffs for \$4.00, at Perry's on Saturday.

Madame Florence, clairvoyant and palmist, a wonder to everyone who she tells you just what you want to know without asking you a question. Advice on all business affairs. Pay her a visit. You will not regret time or money. Satisfaction guaranteed or no charge. At Hotel Otis.

At the meeting of division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, held last evening, the fourth degree was conferred on a class of 15 candidates. The initiation was in charge of the county president, D. J. Sullivan of this city, and the county vice president, John Sheridan of Graniteville, was also present. There was a large attendance of the local Hibernians and members of the Montpelier division were present at the invitation of the local division. At the close of the meeting a smoke talk and refreshments were enjoyed.

Thursday arrivals at the hotel Otis were as follows: J. N. Maxin, New York City; D. Mortimer, Boston; E. N. Kingsley, Boston; H. J. Preston, Burlington; W. A. Nason, F. S. Simons, Chicago; J. W. Poas, Burlington; A. W. Elmore, New York City; A. C. Perceval, Superior, Wis.; F. M. Long, H. A. Lauris, Burlington; H. A. McGill, M. C. Johnson, Boston; J. B. Sargent, West Lebanon, N. H.; C. J. Maynard, New York City; A. A. Pariza, Burlington; Edward Fassburg, Detroit, Mich.; D. Newton, New London, Conn.; C. R. Parisnap, Montreal, P. Q.

Two occupants of a sleigh from Graniteville had a narrow escape near the Union Clothing store at 10 o'clock last night. In crossing the track, the sleigh was overturned directly in the path of an approaching car. The driver had the presence of mind to cling to the reins and to urge the somewhat frightened animal out of the precarious situation. Then, in the excitement, the horse became detached from the sleigh and ran up the street for some distance until stopped near the Miles block. The two travelers were uninjured fortunately, although the sleigh was somewhat the worse for the accident.

#### Notice.

After April 1, 1911, the standard wage of journeymen carpenters of local 451, Barre, Vt., shall be three dollars and twenty cents per day of eight hours.



Court Granite City, No. 3, will meet at 1:30 o'clock Saturday, Feb. 25, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, M. C. Morgan. Per order C. R.



There will be a special communication of Granite lodge, No. 3, F. and A. M., this (Friday) evening at 7 o'clock. Work, E. A. and F. C. degrees. Per order W. M.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN.

Children's fleece hose, three pairs for 25c, at Vaughan's.

Nineteen-cent gingham for 12½c per yard Saturday at Vaughan's.

Remember the dance at Howland hall Saturday, Feb. 25. Riley's orchestra. 50c for gents, ladies 10c.

Miss Lena Abiatti of Bolster avenue is absent from her duties in the New England Fruit store on account of illness.

A regular meeting of Queen of the Forest circle will be held this Friday, evening at 7 o'clock sharp, as there is business of importance.

The basketball game between the Barre Independents and the East Barre athletic team, postponed from Wednesday night, will be played at Libersont hall in East Barre to-night.

A pretty good opportunity to buy gingham for 9½c yard, our regular Bates' gingham, which always sell for 12½c. We shall ask you only 9½c per yard at Perry's on Saturday.

H. A. McGill and M. C. Johnson of Boston are in the city engaged in installing the new soda fountain recently purchased by the Barre Candy Kitchen. When completed, it will be one of the best appointed soda fountains in the state.

A trustees' meeting of Goddard seminary was held yesterday afternoon, at which several matters of interest to the school were discussed. Among the trustees present were President Charles H. Darling of Burlington, Arthur Farwell of Montpelier and Ira C. Cleif of Washington.

The offering of the King and Lynn Stock company this evening will be the famous play, "Monte Cristo." This is the play made famous by James O'Neill, who played in this for the last time five years ago. Mr. Dunn, the company's leading man, will be seen in the part of Edmund Dantes, count of Monte Cristo, to a very good advantage, and the balance of the company have been allotted parts best suited to their style of acting. The company carries all special scenery and electrical effects in order to carry out every little detail, and the audience may be assured of an excellent production. Price, 10c, 20c and 30c.

There is an excellent program on at the Pavilion, both acts of vaudeville and all of the pictures being the kind that win hearty approval and keep the audience in a constant state of good humor.

One of the many features of Stuart and McNally's act is the imitation of a local actor, "Monte Cristo." In reality, this is a clever dancing number, in which sound and mechanical effects are used with telling effect. It brought the house down at all three shows yesterday. In Lockhart and Webb, this little theatre offers the best comedy acrobatic act ever seen there. These boys kept the house in a constant uproar of laughter and were forced to take two bows before the audience was willing to let them go. An all-Biograph program of pictures comes today, which, added to the already strong program, ought to make a show that will be highly pleasing to all. In the Mittu Dumetrescu troupe, which comes Monday, the public is offered one of the greatest aerial acts ever seen in Barre. Mr. Dumetrescu is one of the greatest aerial producers and performers ever known.

#### EAST BARRE.

Mrs. Verne Tomlinson is ill with the grippe.

A large number attended the Foresters' fair at Graniteville last evening. The Woman's auxiliary will serve an excellent dinner town meeting day. If the regular dinner is not desired a lunch can be ordered.

Rev. Mr. Rammage will occupy the pulpit in the Congregational church Sunday, Feb. 26. There will be Sunday school and Christian Endeavor meeting the same as usual.

#### GRANITEVILLE.

Five or six building lots for sale, right on Main street in Graniteville. Inquire of A. A. Smith, Barre, Vt.

## "Honey B" Anise

Is a Cough Cure for the Baby

It is perfectly harmless and cures the cough. "Honey B" Anise contains no morphine, opiates or alcohol. It is pleasant to take.

We also have all the other kinds of Cough Remedies for children and grown people--but for the baby call for "Honey B" Anise," price 25 cents.

D. F. DAVIS "The Druggist"

262 North Main St., Barre, Vt.

#### TO-DAY'S

Specials

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The North Barre Grocer

617 North Main Street

Pea Beans, per quart,

at - - - 8c

Yellow Eye Beans,

per quart - - 8c

Canadian Yellow

Peas, per quart, 8c

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## Specials for This Week

New Wash Goods in Percales, Gingham, Voiles, Poplins, Pongees, and Barred White Goods.

One McCall's Pattern Free with every cash sale of \$1.00 or more for this week.

### VEALE & KNIGHT,

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Corrier Building, North Main St., Barre, Vt.

## BARRE OPERA HOUSE

FOX & EATON, Lessees.  
J. H. MORAN, Resident Mgr.

One Solid Week Commencing Monday Feb. 20

Matinees Wednesday and Saturday

## King and Lynn

Big Stock Company  
20--People--20

5--Vaudeville Acts--5

#### The Plays

Friday Night--"Monte Cristo."

Saturday Matinee--"The Boy Detective."

Saturday Night--"The Girl And The Outlaw."

Prices, 10, 20, and 30 cents.

Matinees, 10 cents.

Ladies' 15c Tickets for Monday night limited to 200 seats, and must be secured at Kendrick's Drug Store.

## DREAMLAND THEATRE

Programme for Today

#### Gratitude

An Indian picture taken in the shadow of Nevada Falls

The Merry Wives of Windsor

One of the most amusing of all of Shakespeare's comedies

#### White Roses

"Faint heart ne'er won fair lady," unless fate stepped in. It's a Biography

The Recreation of An Heiress

A Biography comedy

A Trip Through Ceylon

A travelogue of merit

The Return at Midnight

An interesting drama

Mr. Caskey Sings Two Different Songs

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It is to your advantage to make your selection early.

## CALIFORNIA NAVEL ORANGES

We are selling lots of Navel Oranges because they are nice and giving entire satisfaction. Our leaders are Fancy Ripe Navels that are sweet and delicious eating

18 Fancy Sweet Juicy Navels .....25c

Regular 30c size, per dozen .....24c

Regular 40c size, per dozen .....33c

We have all sizes of Navels from 20c a dozen upwards.

16 Fancy Yellow Bananas for .....25c

4 Fancy Russet Grape Fruit for .....25c

2 pounds of fresh Turkish Figs for .....25c